

Title (en)  
SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR OPERATING AUTONOMOUS TUG ROBOTS

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SYSTEME UND VERFAHREN ZUM BETREIBEN VON AUTONOMEN SCHLEPPROBOTERN

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SYSTÈMES ET PROCÉDÉS DE COMMANDE DE ROBOTS DE MANUTENTION AUTONOMES

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: WO2020010047A1] Systems and methods for operating autonomous tug robots are disclosed. Robotic tugs disclosed herein are configured to autonomously maneuver to a desired location to pick up and retrieve an item, such as a load or a cart, nest the item within the robot, transport the item, and deliver the item to a desired location.

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